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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

## Gentlemen and Ladies:

The time has come to settle the Microsoft Anti-trust case. Prolonging now will only bring more special interest groups out of the woodwork who apparently can't stand the thought of direct competition.

You and Microsoft have reached a settlement. Move on with it. Don't permit a continuing platform for a few State AGs to pontificate that they are Saviors of the poor competitors like little ol AOL and Netscape. Don't forget the consumer who will benefit from a quick settlement.

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